

POETRY
PLANT A TREE.
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Plants a hope.
Rootlets up through there blindly grope

So man's life must climb
From the clods of time
Unto heavenly spheres

Canst thou prophesy, thou little tree,
 What the glory of thy boughs shall be?
 He who plants a tree
 Plants a people,
 Plinks a comfort that will never shy,
 Every day a fresh reality
 Brought to thee, O tree,
 To whose shelter throng
 Creeping bliths with song.
 If thou couldst but know, thou happy tree,
 Of the bliss that shall inhabit thee!
 He who plants a tree,
 He who sows a seed,
 Under its shade certain, large as creep,
 Leaf and zephyr murmur soothing,
 Slumbering the weary
 Down tired eyelids creep,
 Slumber of deep
 Never a dream, thou dreamed, thou blessed tree,
 Of the benediction thou shall be.

He plants youth;
Vigor won for centuries, in sooth;
Life of time, that blots a moment!

Boughs their strength uprear,
New shoots every year
On old shoots appear.
Thou shalt teach the ages, sturdy tree,
Youth of soul is immortality.

He who plants a tree,
He plants love.
Tents of coolness spreading—out above
Wayfarers he may not live to see.
Gifts that grow are best:

Heaven and earth help him who plants
trees.

—Lucy Lacorn, in Indianapolis News.

And the night wind breathed its peace
 back.

When the old moon lay in the new moon
Arise,
Their eager youth had cried, "Haste,
O Sun, to flood with your potent char
The unknown trails of that dus
waste;
Mountains and valleys in darkness lie
Which yet shall gleam like a land
gold,
Lift, O Day, your torch on high,
Blow us your sweet notes, clear

But now they watch the slackened bow
Across Diana's shoulders flung;

The chase is over, the quarry bagged,
 The horn's sweet echo a memory see
 And the feet that never in youth lagged
 Shall wander now but in rest
 (DREAMS)
 —Lois Whittlesey, in New York Herald

HUMOR OF THE DAY

"Our pastor's sermon this morning
not have so much meat in it as usual."

"Ment!" Certainly not. This is L.
-Boston Evening Transcript.
Bootlegger's Wife (to maid)—Ma,
I'll have my emerald earrings today—
order the green car for 11.30. I
match so well.—Life.
Seymour—What kind of a girl
Helen?
Salles—She's one of those who w
rather share a fellow's theatre ticket
his troubles.—London Answers.
Wife Puller—Have you got a to

Politician—Nothing doing.
Wire Puller—Yes, that's just the

—Judge.

"Mistakes will happen," he said, apologetically.

"With you at the job it's a cinch," the bitter retort.—Detroit Free Press.

She.—Father's remarks about you very bitter.

He.—I'm glad they were, because going to make him eat his words.—ton Transcript.

when a candidate was expected to detect a brass band and treat the crowd?

"Those weren't good old days," replied Senator Serghum. They all promoted bad liquor, bad music and politics."—Washington Star.

Muriel—Oh, Mama, why didn't you tell me I had a dab of rough on the side of my nose?

Mama—How do I know where you want to wear your complexion?—B. Transcript.

KAI EIDOSCOPE

Nearly one-third of the population of the world are Christians.

James I found money for the building of Virginia by means of a lottery. The flag of the German republic never been flown in some parts of Maryland.

Valuable new drug plants have found by explorers in the Amazon basin.

Yale University has established courses in citizenship for women.

The most valuable part of the
is the skin, which has the toughness

A mammoth edible mushroom found in diameter, was found on an estate at St. Germain, France.

An English inventor's shoes are made with rubber steel clamping.

Among the odd birds of Australia are the black swan, the lyre bird, the brolia, the quokka, the brush turkey. There are several mammals whose young are produced from eggs like those of a snake and then nursed by the mother to maturity. Among these animals are the platypus, the echidna, the water mole or duckbill and the possum-eater.

The story that Archimedes, the great Greek mathematician, found the principle of buoyancy, turned the Roman

on the sun's rays with mirror-lens
doubtless a fairy tale, nevertheless

CHILDREN IN SPRINGTIME

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